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HOUSE BILL NO. 1180

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TEXTBOOKS/MATERIALS: Authorizes local public school boards to use state funds to purchase instructional technology and related hardware

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:351(D), relative to the use of state funds for certain educational materials;
3 to permit a city, parish, or other local public school board to use state funds to
4 purchase certain instructional technology and related hardware; to provide for
5 effectiveness; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:351(D) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

8 §351. Free school books and other materials of instruction

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10 D. Notwithstanding any law, rule, regulation, or policy to the contrary, a
11 city, parish, or other local public school board may use state funds to purchase
12 certain instructional technology and related hardware.

13 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
14 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
15 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
16 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
17 effective on the day following such approval.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Permits local public school boards to use state funds to purchase instructional technology and related hardware.

Proposed law provides that notwithstanding any law, rule, regulation, or policy to the contrary, a local public school board may use state funds to purchase instructional technology and related hardware.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 17:351(D))